

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

September 6, 2001

Robin J. Hastings, Treasurer TECO Energy Inc. Employees' PAC 702 N. Franklin Street Tampa, FL 33602

Identification Number: C00161422

Reference: October Quarterly Report (1/1/99-9/30/99)

Dear Ms. Hastings:

This letter is to inform you that as of September 5, 2001, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated August 15, 2001. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by September 26, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Scott Walker on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

Assistant Staff Director Reports Analysis Division



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Dear Ms. Hastings:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please provide the totals for Lines 6(b), 6(c), 6(d), 7, 8, 11(a)(i), 11(a)(ii), 11(a)(iii), 17, 19, 20, 23, 29, 30, and 31, Column A of the Summary Page and the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Schedule A of your report discloses aggregate year-to-date totals for contributions received from individuals which appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that federal regulations require aggregate year-to-date totals to include only those contributions which are received during the calendar year. In the event that the aggregate year-to-date total is correct, please note that federal regulations also require the disclosure of all contributions received from individuals who have contributed over \$200. 11 CFR §104.3(a)(4) Please amend your report to provide the correct aggregate year-to-date totals.

-Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 23 by providing the office sought (i.e. House, Senate, or President) including the state and congressional district for each contribution made. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)(ii) and (v)

-It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission that the reports you have filed during the current election cycle do not reflect the appropriate coverage dates for quarterly filing status. Please be advised of the filing dates and coverage periods for the 1999-2000 election cycle and fill in the appropriate dates on Line 5 of the Summary Page.

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Report Type	Coverage Dates	Due Date
Mid-Year	1/1/99-6/30/99	July 31, 1999
Year End	7/1/99-12/31/99	January 31, 2000
April Quarterly	1/1/00-3/31/00	April 15, 2000
July Quarterly	4/1/00-6/30/00	July 15, 2000
October Quarterly	7/1/00-9/30/00	October 15, 2000
12 Day Pre-General	10/1/00-10/18/00	October 26, 2000
30 Day Post-General	10/19/00-11/27/00	December 7, 2000
Year End	11/28/00-12/31/00	January 31, 2001

-Be advised that you have used an incorrect committee identification number on the Summary Page of your report(s). Please file all future reports and correspondence using your correct identification number, C00161422, to avoid potential errors in entering your reports onto the public record.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Scott B. Walker

Reports Analyst

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